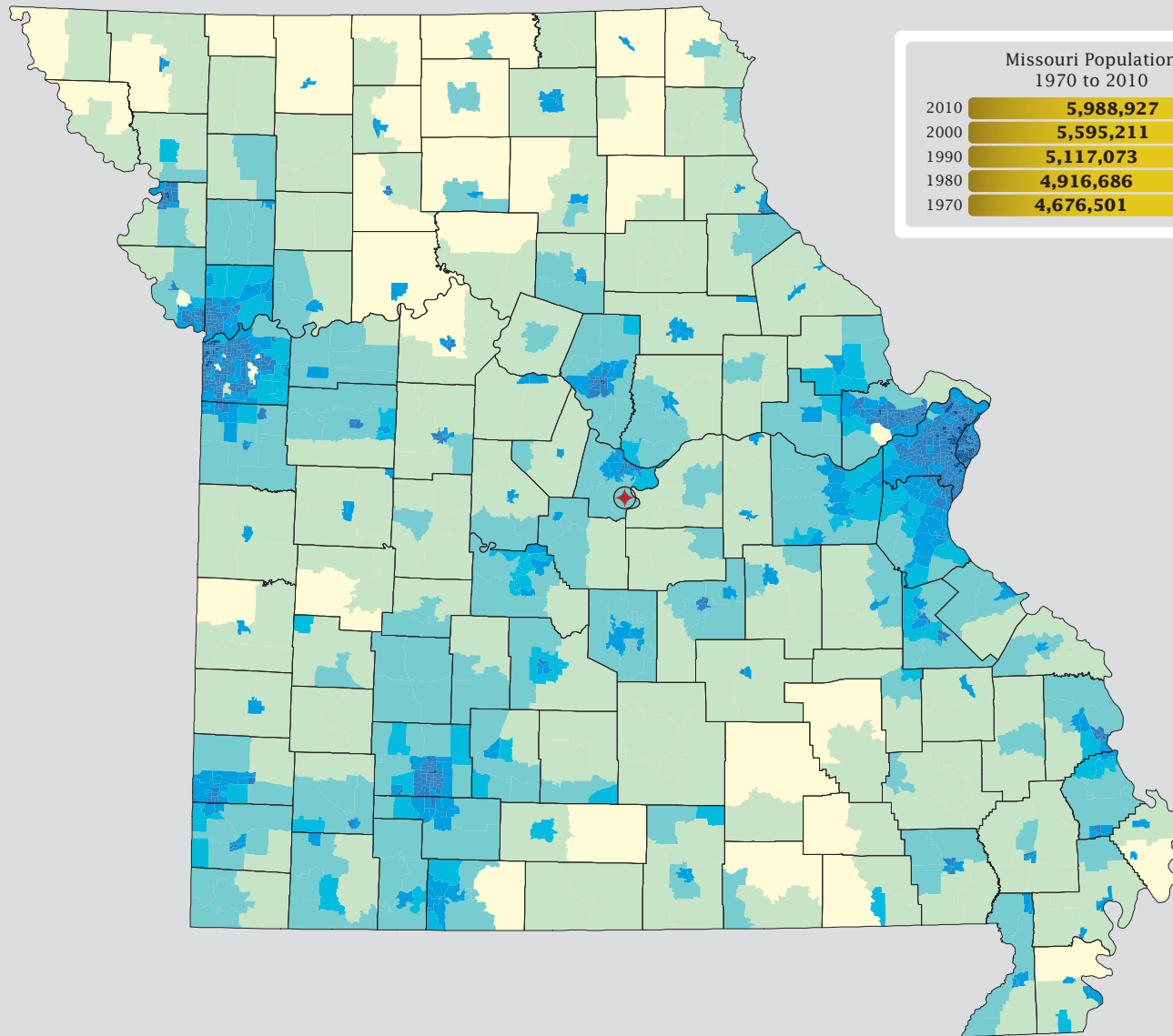


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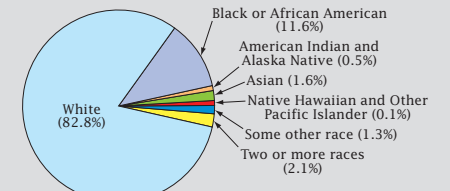
Population Density by Census Tract



Missouri Population
1970 to 2010

2010	5,988,927
2000	5,595,211
1990	5,117,073
1980	4,916,686
1970	4,676,501

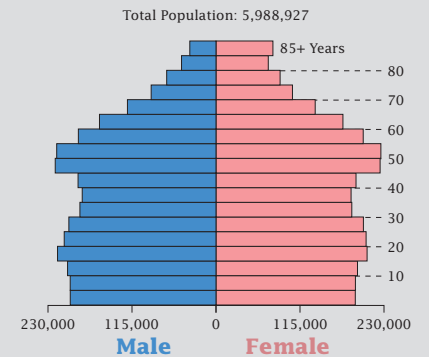
State Race* Breakdown



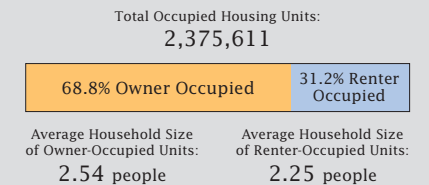
*One race

Hispanic or Latino (of any race)
makes up **3.5%** of the state population.

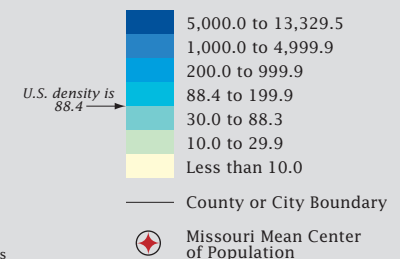
Population by Sex and Age



Housing Tenure



People per Square Mile by Census Tract



Missouri

BASIC INFORMATION

2010 Census Population:	5,988,927 (18 th)	Bordering States:	Arkansas, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Tennessee
Land Area:	68,741.5 square miles (18 th)	Abbreviation:	MO
Density:	87.1 persons per square mile (28 th)	ANSI/FIPS Code:	29
Capital:	Jefferson City		
Became a State:	August 10, 1821 (24 th)		

HISTORY

The United States acquired the area of Missouri from France as part of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803. Missouri Territory was organized on June 4, 1812, from Louisiana Territory, and included all of the present-day states of Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, and Oklahoma and parts of Colorado, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Texas, and Wyoming. The territory was reduced by conclusion of a treaty with Spain in 1819 that removed the portion of Texas that was in the territory and part of present-day Colorado, Kansas, and Wyoming. That same year, Missouri Territory was further reduced by the organization of Arkansas Territory. Missouri was admitted to the Union on March 2, 1821, as the 24th state from a small part of Missouri Territory. With the Platte Purchase of 1836, Missouri added territory in the northwest, west to the Missouri River, to assume generally the same boundary as the present state. (Missouri Territory—the portion not included in the state of Missouri—continued to exist as a separate area until the organization of Nebraska Territory in 1854, although reduced after a large part of the northern area was annexed to Michigan Territory in 1834. Some statutes refer to this Missouri Territory as Indian Country or Indian Territory.)

Although the territory had not yet been legally established, census data for Missouri are available beginning with the 1810 census. The 1810 and 1820 populations are for the present-day area of the state of Missouri.

Data for the legally established state of Missouri are available beginning with the 1830 census.

METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND RELATED STATISTICAL AREAS

Missouri has 9 metropolitan statistical areas, 19 micropolitan statistical areas, and 3 combined statistical areas.

COUNTIES

There are 115 counties and equivalent in Missouri.

COUNTY SUBDIVISIONS

Missouri has 1,395 county subdivisions known as minor civil divisions (MCDs). There are 311 MCDs in 22 counties with active, functioning governments, each governed by a trustee and board of directors, while the remaining townships are nonfunctioning nongovernmental entities. St. Louis city is independent of any township and serves as a county subdivision.

PLACES

Missouri has 1,032 places; 959 incorporated places and 73 census designated places (CDPs). The incorporated places consist of 637 cities, 110 towns, and 212 villages.

Geographic Entities	2010 Census	Census 2000
Block Groups	4,506	4,540
Census Blocks	343,565	241,532
Census Tracts	1,393	1,320
Congressional Districts (108th - 112th)	9	9
Counties and Equivalents	115	115
County Subdivisions	1,395	1,379
Elementary School District	73	73
Places	1,032	972
State Legislative Districts (Lower)	163	163
State Legislative Districts (Upper)	34	34
Unified School Districts	448	450
Voting Districts	4,813	3,960

Features	2010 Census
Address Range-Feature Names	1,438,944
Address Ranges	1,152,134
Area Landmarks	5,347
Area Water	152,048
Edges	2,714,988
Feature Names	2,466,418
Linear Water	253,868
Point Landmarks	19,195
Primary and Secondary Roads	7,660
Roads	707,211
Topological Faces	839,817
Topological Faces-Area Hydrography	216,142
Topological Faces-Area Landmark	11,581